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IF THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, from its original establishment, has been in the receipt of telegraphic news from the New York Associated Press, which consists of the Tribune, Times, Herald, World, Sun, Journal of Commerce, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, and Evening Express. The success which has attended our enterprise is, in itself, a sufficient evidence of the freshness, fullness, and reliability of the news which we have received from this source. In March, 1870, we entered into a special contract by which THE EVENING TELEGRAPH has the exclusive use of the news furnished in the afternoon by the Associated Press to its own members, the North American, Inquirer, Ledger, Press, Age, Record, and German Democ rat, of this city, and the leading journals of the East, North, West, and South ; and hereafter THE TELE-GRAPH will be the only evening paper published in this city in which the afternoon despatches of the Associated Press will appear.

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THE CITY TICKETS.

THE Democratic nominating conventions of Philadelphia concluded their labors yesterday; and while all the nominees on their city ticket are not unexceptionable, the Democratic party, as a party, deserves credit for an earnest effort to select candidates from its best, rather than its worst, material. This policy may have been reluctantly adopted on account of the necessity of creating or enlarging a division in the Republican ranks; and the studied avoidance of resolutions constructing a partisan platform may be attributed to a similar motive; but the fact nevertheless remains that the Philadelphia Democracy have learned wisdom from experience, that they have advanced and elevated the character of their nominations, and that they have refrained from obtruding their screeds of doctrine upon any Republicans who might, presumably, be disposed to support one or more of their nominees. They have sought strength in men rather than in principles, in an apparent temporary ignoring or abeyance of Democracy, rather than in a defiant avowal of its tenets; and while the rank and file of the unterrified will be expected to vote for the ticket on the old plan of sustaining it Without a single why or wherefore, an unusual, if not an unprecedented, amount of care has been taken to attract Republican support. Thus, in the Mayor's Convention, the President, with a full knowledge of the result of its deliberations, inasmuch as there was but one candidate, expressed an earnest desire that the nominee should be a man of "courage, independence, ability, experience, knowledge of our city affairs, and, above all, a man of unblemished integrity and honor.' In the Judiciary Convention a resolution was adopted warmly applauding the Republican and anti-slavery Judge, George M. Stroud, whose term is about to expire. In the City Solicitor's Convention, the nominee, in his speech, dwelt mainly upon the necessity of local reform. In the District Attorney's Convention the nominee spoke of the position he now fills "as one created, not for personal or partisan purposes, but solely for the pubic good," and intimated his intention, if reelected, to continue to discharge the duties of the office on strictly legal instead of partisan principles. And in the Prothonotary's Convention a resolution was adopted expressing sympathy with the Law Association in its efforts for reform. Intelligent Republicans will neither be deluded by anything that is deceptive in the Democratic policy and nominations, nor will they, on the other hand, totally disregard its real significance. If the Republican nominating conventions had all been animated by a spirit akin to that which has controlled the action of the Democrats, there would be no reasonable doubt at the present moment of the election of the entire Republican ticket. But while the Republican nominations defied disaffection and disregarded the plainest dictates of true party policy, the cooler and wiser heads of the opposition have made extraordinary exertions to secure complete harmony within their own ranks and to conciliate Republicans. With these plain facts staring him in the face, every voter should act according to the dictates of his own judgment and conscience. It is growing more important to the welfare of the city, year after year, that honest, capable, and entirely trustworthy men should be elected to all influential local offices; and while every Republican naturally prefers to see such positions filled by members of the Republican party, provided the incumbents demean themselves in a becoming manner, no intelligent Republican can find consolation in wordy and false professions of Republicanism for the fact that a perverter of justice, an extortioner, or a Ring robber has been elevated to power by the aid of his vote. There is a crying necessity for reform in the administration of all local affairs, and it is high time that all good citizens should address themselves earnestly to this task, making its accomplishment paramount, instead of subordinate, to despicable partisan intrigues, vague partisan advantages, or corrupt personal designs. The best votes cast in this city on local questions, and for or against local nominees, are those which are not controlled by partisan considerations,

The Democrats who, at the commencement | of the war and during its progress, broke old party ties and sustained local as well as national Republican candidates, thereby rendered inestimable service to their country; and few or none of those Republicans who aided in placing Judge Ludlow on the bench of this city have cause to regret that action. Above and beyond partisan ties all Philadelphia votors are citizens of a great municipality, which in local elections has the first and highest claim upon their consideration; and any thoroughly bad, incompetent, corrupt, or disgraceful nominee on either ticket should be cut by the members of the party disgraced by such a nomination with as little hesitation as a mad dog is killed or a murderer sent to prison.

THE COMMENCEMENT SEASON. THE most inattentive newspaper-reader must have been struck during the past fortnight by the uncommon interest shown this year in the college commencements. The concern manifested has, indeed, been unexampled. In no previous season have as many students graduated, nor have so many distinguished people ever been present at commencement services. Neither have the papers ever before reported these exercises so fully. At Princeton the President and two members of his Cabinet, a number of the principal officers of the army, and a host of other prominent persons, all assisted on class day and at the graduating ceremonies. Such interest in college affairs was probably never before shown in the United States, and although Princeton has taken the lead, other colleges have held their commencements with somewhat similar colat. Harvard has just graduated the largest class that has ever left that college, and the classes of Yale and Brown, which are to graduate in the course of a few days, are described as being the largest and ablest bodies that have ever left those time-honored walls. The principal commencements already held have been the following:-West Point, Harvard, Princeton, Columbia, Williams, Cornell, Vassar, Rutgers, Lafayette, Dickinson, Lewisburg, Pennsylvania Military Academy, Lehigh University, and Lincoln University. The last six are Pennsylvania institutions. Several have been hald that are not included in this list, and some of the most notable of all have yet to be celebrated. The University of Pennsylvania has its commencement to-day in this city, and Amherst. and Bowdoin, as well as Yale and Brown, already mentioned, and other famous institutions, will keep up the commencement fever for some time longer. We are of those who believe that these facts are of the greatest importance to our young men and to society at large. They offer strong evidence that the leaven of education is raising the public mass. The interest taken in our higher schools is one of the surest signs of a peaceful but mighty revolution in society, one that has determined and is daily determining that the future of this country



RADES. LONG BRANCH MONMOUTH PARK, FIVE DAYS, THREE RACES EACH DAY, One o'clock P. M. TUESDAY, 4th JULY. WEDNESDAY, 5th JULY. THURSDAY, 5th JULY. FRIDAY, 7th JULY. SATURDAY, 8th JULY. TUESDAY, 1st AUGUST. AND CONTINUE FIVE DAYS. FIRST DAY. JULY THE FOORTH. FIRST RACE—THE GRAND NATIONAL STEE. PLE CHASE. For all ages. About three miles. \$2000. SECOND RACE—TRIAL PURSE. For all ages. Dash of one mile, \$600. THIRD RACE—THE JERSEY DERBY STAKES, \$2000. Sand a half miles. Thirty-one entries. SECOND DAY. WEDNESDAY, JULY 5. FIRST RACE-THE HOPEFUL STAKES, \$1400. For two-year-old Colts and Fillies. Half a mile. Eighteen entries. SECOND BACE-PURSE \$700. Mile heats. For all ages. THIRD RACE-' HE MONMOUTH CUP, \$3250. For all ages. Two miles and a hair. Fifteen entries. THIRD DAY. THURSDAY, JULY 6. FIRST RACE-SELLING RACE. PURSE, \$500. For all ages. One and a quarter miles. SECOND RACE - THE MONMOUTH OAK STAKES, \$2200. For three-year old Fulles. One mile and a hair. Twenty four correctes. Twenty-four entries, THIRD RACE-THE LONG BRANCH STAKES. \$1700. For all ages. Two miles. Fourteen entries. FOURTH DAY. FRIDAY, JULY 7. FIRST RACE-THE JULY STAKES, \$1159. Three-quarters of a mile. Thirteen entries SECOND RACE-THE AMERICUS CLUB PURSE, For all ages. Mile heats, Best three in five. THIRD RACE-THE TWEED PURSE, \$1000. For beaten horses, all ages. One and a half miles. FIFTH DAY. SATURDAY, JFLY 8 FIRST RACE-HURDLE RACE, \$300. Two miles. Eight hurdics. SECOND RACE-PURSE, \$1000. For all ages. Dash of three miles. THIRD ILACE-"THE MONMOUTH SEQUEL STAKES, \$2250. Two miles. Twenty-seven entrics. Badges, entitling the holder to the Quarter Stretch and Grand Stand :-During the meeting, \$12; or for Cone day, \$3. Entrance to field, \$1; to the Grand Stand, \$1 extra. Pools will be sold every evening at the West End Hotel, and on the Course every day during the races, by Underwood & McGowan. The accommodations going to the Course, while there, and returning, will be unequalled. The trains from and to Philadelphia will stop at the entrance to the Park. AMOS ROBINS, President. 6 29 ths2t W. E. RAYNOR, Secretary. MONMOUTH PARK. GRAND RACES AT LONG BRANCH. July 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th. Excursion Tickets will be sold from Philadelphia on the above days, good to return on or before the 10th inst. \$4 for the round trip.

Trains leave Walnut Street Wharf, via Camden and Burlington County and New Jersey Southern Railroads, at 7 A. M., 230 and 4 P. M. for Long Brsach. Return Trains leave Long Branch for Philadelphia at 7-05 and 8-28 A. M., and 6-28 P. M. Tickets can be procured at the office, No. 533 Chesaut street, or at the wharf before departure of trains. J. W. GORE, 6 29 Strp General Ticket Agent. FINANCIAL. Office, 48 N. DELAWARE Avenue. THE Eight Per Cent. Martgage Bonds OF THE NEW ORLEANS, MOBILE, AND TEXAS St. Cloud RAILROAD COMPANY, Offer very superior advantages to parties desiring the safest and most prolitable reinvestment of JULY DIVIDENDS. Or other surplus funds. These bonds are based upon 1ST-THE BEST LOCATION in the South for a largely paying road. 2D-ONE OF THE STRONGEST RAILROAD COMPANIES IN the country, the list of leading stockholders embracing Hon. EDWIN D. MORGAN, Hon. JOHN A. GRISWOLD, MESSIS MORTON, BLISS & Co., J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO., L. VON HOFFMAN & CO., JAMES H. BANKER, BARRISON DURKEE, JOHN STEWARD, and other well-known capitalists. 3D-THE EXFENDITURE, by the stocknolders, of nearly TEN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS of their own funds in the construction of the line, before offering bonds for sale. To thirds of the entire line is already built. 4TH-STATE AID, from Louisiana, to the amount of more than eight million doltars. The FIRST MORIGAGE BONDS now offered are only in the denomination of \$1000. or £200 each, interest payable January and July, at the rate of eight per cent. currency in New York, or seven percent, gold in London, at the option of PHILADELPHIA. the holder, at the time each coupon is due. Bonds can be registered, if desired. Price, 90, and accrued interest from May 1. One thousand dollars invested in these eight per cent. bonds will give the purchaser more than seventy seven per cent, greater annual interest than the same amount invested in the new Government Five Per Cents, Subscriptions will be received in Philadelphia

depends on the knowledge, attainments, and refinement of its citizens. Man shall not live by bread alone. The saying is old, but not as old as the truth it embalms, and which grows more potent as the years roll resistlessly by. There are other and higher needs than those of the body. The mental necessities of man are great; the increasing culture of the age renders them all-compelling, and the result is seen in the greater demand upon our higher colleges, and in the superior work done, year after year, by those institutions. May they increase !

We are pleased to learn that John Rice, Esq., has returned to the city from his prolonged visit to California and the West, with renewed health, vigor, and spirits. Mr. Rice is one of our most energetic citizens, and Philadelphia cannot spare him long at a time. The experience and rejuvenation gained by him in his Western tour we shall expect to result in continued well-directed efforts for the municipal good.

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